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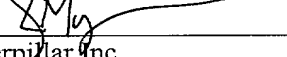
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

## for FY 2000

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See 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.27 and 1.28.*

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) **1,480**

### Complete if Known

Application Number	(Unassigned)
Filing Date	(Herewith)
First Named Inventor	TARA L. COBBLE ET AL.
Examiner Name	(Unassigned)
Group / Art Unit	(Unassigned)
Attorney Docket No.	00-104

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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
101 690	201 345	Utility filing fee	710		
106 310	206 155	Design filing fee			
107 480	207 240	Plant filing fee			
108 690	208 345	Reissue filing fee			
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee			

**SUBTOTAL (1)** (\$) **710**

#### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims		Extra Claims		Fee from below		Fee Paid	
45	-20** = 25	18	450				
7	-3** = 4	80	320				
Multiple Dependent							

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20		
102 78	202 39	Independent claims in excess of 3		
104 260	204 130	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		
109 78	209 39	** Reissue independent claims over original patent		
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent		

**SUBTOTAL (2)** (\$) **770**

### FEE CALCULATION (continued)

#### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.			
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification			
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for reexamination			
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month			
116 380	216 190	Extension for reply within second month			
117 870	217 435	Extension for reply within third month			
118 1,360	218 680	Extension for reply within fourth month			
128 1,850	228 925	Extension for reply within fifth month			
119 300	219 150	Notice of Appeal			
120 300	220 150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
121 260	221 130	Request for oral hearing			
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
141 1,210	241 605	Petition to revive - unintentional			
142 1,210	242 605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
143 430	243 215	Design issue fee			
144 580	244 290	Plant issue fee			
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
123 50	123 50	Petitions related to provisional applications			
126 240	126 240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
146 690	246 345	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
149 690	249 345	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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**SUBTOTAL (3)** (\$) **0**


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